

Play-Goers Applaud Opening Of 'Physician in Spite of Himself'

Displaying many authentic seventeenth century French innovations, members of the cast of "The Physician in Spite of Himself" staged a successful initial performance last night in the College auditorium. The play will be presented again tonight and tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock.

The Moliere - written play adapted by Director Milton W. Brietzke is a three-act farce which satirizes the quack doctors at whose hands Moliere suffered. Action centers around a woodsman, Sganarelle, who, through the connivance of his wife, Martine, is forced to become a physician. Although he knows nothing about the profession, he finally decides that it may be a profitable "racket," so he pretends to be a doctor. Through his behavior in this capacity, the characters he encounters are gulled by his shenanigans.

A modernistic touch is added to the drama department's spring production through the use of large abstract cardboard trees suspended from the ceiling by wires.

Adding to the French flavor of the farce are authentic-looking seventeenth century costumes.

Arena staging is employed in the Moliere production, as it was in the College Players' initial production last semester, "Mr. Pim Passes By."

Turning in impressive performances were Duane Hunt as Sganarelle; Billie Krummel, Martine; Jim Parks, Monsieur Robert; Joe Roche, Valere; Bill Easley, Lucas; Carol Campbell, Jacqueline; Shirley Byrd, Lucinde; Bill Bacon, Geronote; Frank Sadler, Leandre; Nancy Patterson and Trudie Hosp, maids.

Director Brietzke settles property difficulties by featuring maids dancing in with the items. The imagination of both the actors and the audience is appealed to by non-realistic scenery and properties. Pantomime and improvisation are the keynote to the interpretation.

Those on the production staff are Billie Krummel, assistant director; Frank Sadler, stage manager; Billie Krummel, Duane

Hunt, Bill Easley, properties and set designing; Bill Bacon, furniture; Beverly Kluge, Gaylord Bedell, house managers; Jim Parks, Fred Tullis, lighting; Marian Herin, sound; Carol Campbell, Shirley Byrd, Sue Blizzard, costumes; Pat Willey, Pat Hager, prompters; Billie Krummel, Pat Hager, Pat Willey, Nancy Patterson, Trudy Hosp, Sue Holt, hall decorations; Larry Catron, Frank Sadler, Donna Sellers, Joe Roche, Gaylord Bedell, publicity; and Pat Willey, make-up.

Tickets may be purchased from College Players for 50 cents. Juco students will be admitted upon presentation of their activity tickets.

Joplin Coed Will Compete For State Title

Maureen Vincent was crowned "Miss Joplin" last Friday night at South Junior High School, winning the right to enter "Miss Missouri" competition in St. Louis in June.

Selected from a group of 12 contestants and five finalists, the Joplin Junior College sophomore received her official tiara from Roseann Teri, who for the last year has held the title of "Miss Missouri."

Judged on the basis of talent, personality, poise, and beauty, Maureen, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Vincent, received a \$500 college scholarship check from the South Joplin Lions Club.

In the talent field, she sang "Caro Nome" from the opera Rigoletto by Verdi. She plans to attend the Louisville Conservatory of Music.

Sponsored by the Joplin Junior Chamber of Commerce, the contest was an official "Miss America" preliminary.

Second place winner was Carolyn Updegraff, a senior at Joplin High School, who won a \$300 scholarship. Mary Atwell, a student at Southwest Missouri State College, received the \$200 scholarship.



In the above scene from the play, Duane Hunt, the "Physician," is preparing to beat his wife, Billie Krummel while Jim Parks tries to restrain him. Watch-

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Board Names Scholarships For Dean Blaine

Two H. E. Blaine sophomore scholarships have been established by the Board of Education. Named in honor of the First Joplin Junior College Dean, the awards will be given annually to the highest ranking boy and girl of the freshman class.

The scholarships will pay incidental expenses for the recipients and will pay tuition of the students who live outside of the school district.

The action of the Board was taken about six weeks after Dean Blaine's death on February 20.

N.O.M.A. to Give Tests Here Today

The National Office Managers' Association will sponsor a series of business entrance tests to be held at the College from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. today.

Byron Mueller, employee of Empire District Electric Company and program chairman of the local chapter of N.O.M.A., will be in charge of the business fundamentals and general information test.

Miss Dorothy Stone will supervise the bookkeeping test and Miss Vera Steininger will be in charge of the typing test. The stenographic test will be under the supervision of Mrs. Emma Lou Hayden, commercial teacher from Joplin Senior High School.

The tests are primarily for high school students but are available to any junior college student who is interested. They will serve as a pre-employment test given at the school instead of the place of employment.

Kansas Legislator to Address Alumni-Student Banquet May 10



Charles L. Davis, Jr.

Shorthand Instructor Earns Gregg Honor

Miss Vera Steininger has been notified that after next year she will be eligible for the Gregg Shorthand award for teachers who have taught shorthand for 25 years.

The Gregg Shorthand Company is planning to publish pictures of the Gregg "Vets" in the Business Teacher magazine. These pictures will also be used in connection with the Diamond Jubilee celebration of Gregg Shorthand in 1963.

The College instructor first taught Gregg Shorthand at Jennings Seminary at Aurora, Illinois. She has taught shorthand and typing in Joplin for 20 years.

Piano Teachers To Hold Workshop

A piano teachers' workshop and festival will be held at Joplin Junior College for the first time next Friday and Saturday. This meeting is under the sponsorship of the Piano Teachers Guild with Miss Marie Guengrich, well-known Joplin piano teacher, as chairman.

The teachers will receive the most benefit from the meeting, but many students brought by various teachers will receive comments from a master critic.

William Schatzkamer will serve as both master teacher and critic. The associate professor of music is head of the piano department and artist in residence at Washington University in St. Louis.

The Guild thought that its proposal might promote an added interest in piano music since the Joplin Music Festival recently dropped piano solos.



Charles L. Davis, Jr., former Joplin Junior College student and now a member of the Kansas State legislature, will be the principal speaker at the annual Alumni-Student banquet at 7 o'clock next Friday night, in the dining room of the First Methodist Church, Fourth Street and Byers Avenue.

A student at the College during 1938 and 1939, Davis is a senior partner in the law firm of Addington, Jones, Davis and Haney, Topeka, Kansas. After attending school here, he went to Washburn University in Topeka, where he received a law degree in 1943. While studying at Washburn, Davis received numerous honors. He was a Whiting scholar, a Mac-Dicar scholar, a member of the Sagamore Honor Society, and salutatorian of his law class.

Top State President

The legislator has served as an officer in the Kansas Bar Association and the American Bar Association. In 1953, he was president of the Kansas Junior Chamber of Commerce, and at the end of his year's presidency received the Clayton Frost award as outstanding state president of the nation. He is serving in the Kansas state legislature for his first time.

At J.J.C., Davis was active in the College Players, the Y.M.C.A. Luncheon Club, and a boys' club called the Trojans. He also was a cheerleader.

He was born in Joplin and attended Joplin High school, where he was a class officer.

Senators Selling Tickets

The theme for this year's Alumni-Student banquet is "Music Through the Years." Tickets are now on sale, and can be purchased from any Student Senator for \$1.50. Francis Bennett is chairman of ticket sales.

Board members of the Alumni Association are as follows: Ed Farmer, Jr., president; Larry Dunham, vice-president; Mrs. Ann Hickam Storm, secretary; and Mrs. Charleen Varner, Anthony Kassab, Michael Bauer, Mrs. J. B. Garrison, and Dr. Richard Parks, board members.

Decorations will be in charge of a Student Senate committee composed of Ramona Kunkel, Lauralou Schaper, and Pat Sears.

Faculty committee members include Miss Dorothy Stone, chairman, James Willey, and Orie Cheatham.

on the right. Carol Campbell, the flirtatious nurse, Nancy Patterson, and Trudie Hosp, maids, complete the cast of the play, "The Physician in Spite of Himself."

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Why Abuse A Privilege?

One of the principles upon which our nation was established, the right of free suffrage, is not exerted by the citizens of the United States today.

At the recent school election held in Joplin, a large percentage of eligible voters failed to cast their ballots simply because they did not have the incentive to do so. Of the 14,000 registered voters, only 3,460 went to the polls. This represents only 24 per cent of the registered voters, and because persons eligible to vote did not have to be registered, the number of qualified voters was increased considerably.

People who have experienced the rule of a dictatorial type of government control and have now gained the privilege of voting realize the extreme importance in exercising their right. In a recent election in Japan, 97 per cent of the registered voters went to the polls.

The problem exists not only in Joplin, but all over the United States. If the right of suffrage is not exercised, it will eventually become nonexistent. If it is abused, the decline of competitive opportunities for governmental offices will seriously affect our system of democracy.

In order to maintain its status as one of the leading countries of the world, the United States must have the guidance of qualified public officials. If we follow in the footsteps of the present generation, our form of government could be taken over by factions which are interested in the decline of the United States. To increase the number of qualified voters at the polls should be the goal of our generation.



For the first time in many years Shoal Creek is again displaying The Grand Falls. The sight of millions of gallons of water flowing again because of April rains is an inspiration for neglecting studies, but also a time to look up and say "Thanks for relieving the drought."

The Bane of My Life

By An Economics Neophyte

I always loved to go to school;
I studied very well.
In every class I ever had
I worked hard to excel.

Somehow this fourth semester,
though,
I must have met my match,
This horrid economics course
I cannot seem to catch.

They talk of interest, price, and
rent;
I'm always in the dark.
Perhaps someday before too long
I may pick up the spark.

I do detest those stocks and
bonds;
Don't like to learn of wages
The study of fulfilling wants
I'll leave up to the sages.

I'll Do It Every Time

By Donna Sellers

Every week end my vacation
Brings an awkward situation;
All the week I'm carried through
By thinking of the things I'll do.

Running over sandy beaches
Where the lowtide barely reaches,
Suntanned feet, I splash along;
Near the water I belong.

Though it's been a lot of fun,
Again the same old thing I've
done:
I've had much time for sea and
foam work
But none at all to do my home-
work.

With Due Respect

By Donna Sellers

I like to be an officer
In school or business clubs,
I always like to be right there
At all the big hubbubs.
I like to work on projects, too,
And help to gather news.
There's just one thing that
bothers me:
I hate to pay my dues.

Our Showcases

Have you noticed the unusual exhibits in the two showcases in the lower hall throughout the year? Nearly every week some energetic individual or group prepares a display for the enjoyment of the rest of us.

Presently, one showcase contains the work of the chemistry classes. Over the years, the department has collected radioactive material including carnotite radium ore, pitch-blend, petrified wood, and uranium ore.

Another showcase holds a variety of enticing book jackets representing the recently-acquired books in the library.

A few weeks ago, Billie Krummel, a second semester art student, displayed her non-objective creative designs in the library and her non-objective sculpture in the showcase.

Several of us who have visited other colleges have noticed the lack of such local exhibits. Although we may not understand radioactivity or modern art, we have learned to appreciate and encourage the work which teachers, students, and organizations have done for our pleasure.

The Fire Hazard

Because Joplin Junior College failed to pass a recent city fire inspection, students have been prohibited from smoking in the College building. The one exception allowed in the prohibition, ordered by the city fire marshal, is the girls' lounge.

The action taken by the marshal hardly should have been a surprise to anyone—students, faculty, or administration. The present home of Joplin Junior College was constructed before the turn of the century and its wooden floors, impregnated with the oils of thousands of cleanings, would provide rich fuel for a fire which rapidly could consume the building.

The fire hazard created by smoking in the building was recognized earlier in the year when the administration limited smoking privileges to the cement steps leading to the first floor.

Although the prohibition may cause some inconvenience to a few students, it is best that some positive action was taken before a carelessly dropped cigarette reduced the building to ashes.

Mrs. Henry Warten

Discusses Aspects

Of Life of Moliere

Speaking of "The Life and Time of Moliere," Mrs. Mary Curtis Warten told drama and literature students on April 13 of the methods employed by the French writer in his effort to write plays which were different from others of his day.

Mrs. Warten explained that Moliere often singled out individuals and professions to satirize in his plays, most of which are farces. She said one method used by Moliere to distinguish his plays from those of his contemporaries was to begin each of them with three knocks. The first knock was for the king; the second for the queen; and the third, for the company of actors and the audience.

The people went to the theater, she said, to see their friends and to visit. A play which was scheduled to begin at 2:30 in the afternoon was often delayed until 5 o'clock because the actors could not be heard above the audience who was still talking.

Mrs. Warten asserted that all of the Frenchman's plays are highly stylized.

The talk on Moliere's life was especially significant at this time, since the drama department's spring play is "The Physician in Spite of Himself."

Westerner

By Maxine Henderson

Most little girls choose some
big girl
They like, for imitation;
They pick from every walk of life,
From every field and station.

Some want to be a jungle queen,
Some try to be like mother,
Some watch the movie screens and
feign
One heroine or another.

Not so my little Sis. But mind,
She'd never be the villain;
She doffs her wide-brimmed hat
and says,
"Howdy! I'm Matt Dillon."

Hesseltine Shows Slides on Travels

Hubert Hesseltine showed colored slides of the West Indies to foreign language students at a dinner meeting of the Modern Language Club April 8. During the assembly period on April 10, he showed slides of the Mediterranean area and parts of Northern Europe to all students who were interested.

Hesseltine, a retired naval officer, is now attending Joplin Junior College. During his service with the Navy, he traveled over much of the world.

Social Science Classes Hear Lecture Series on Arts, Customs



Ranjit Singh, a citizen of India temporarily employed in Joplin, was guest speaker recently in Mrs. Mary Kirk Kelly's sociology classes in connection with a series of talks, which are being given in her classes.

Singh, who received a master's degree from the University of Missouri recently, spoke on the various religions and customs of India. In reference to Communism, Singh stated that the only portion of India which has adopted Communistic theories is the southern tip of the country. He explained that the majority of the country is a democratic-socialistic state.

Rabbi Latz spoke to the sociology classes on the customs and ideas of Judaism. He dwelt mostly on the fact that the Jewish family is the primary organization of the church.

In the American history classes, a first in a series of lectures on American arts and sciences was given by Merrill Ellis on the subject of "American Music." Ellis listed four eras of American music and mentioned the outstanding composers and types of each period. He also used tape recordings of the various types of music which were prevalent in each period. The J.J.C. instructor said, "As social function changes, so changes the art (music)." He continued, "American musical culture is lagging far behind our scientific advancements." He expressed the opinion that American music is still immature, and that by the year 2000, the musical revolution should be complete.

Last Tuesday, Arthur Boles explained the "European Influences on American Art" and pointed out that American art is also far behind scientific aspects in the nation. Boles stated that contemporary art was first created in 1914, in Weimar, Germany, by Van Dervelde and Henri. According to the local instructor, art in America during the first decade of the twentieth century has had great influence on the designs and

architecture of present day buildings.

Mrs. Trij Brietzke, wife of the Junior College speech instructor, is scheduled to give a lecture on "American Drama" to the history classes a week from today.

Faculty Kaleidoscope

Miss Vera Steininger and Miss Dorothy Stone attended the State Teachers Association Business Conference on Saturday, March 30, in Columbia. Sessions featured demonstrations in typewriting techniques, including the pipe organ method.

Dr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Litton held open house for the faculty following the N.E.A. Centennial dinner Thursday night, March 28, so that they could visit with Dr. John Pine, former Juco instructor who was the main speaker for the J.T.A. affair.

Miss Ada Coffey presided at the meeting of the Missouri Department of Classroom Teachers held on April 13 in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gockel celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on Sunday, April 1, with a reception at the Broadview Country Club in Carthage.

Miss Cleetis Headlee attended the State Convention of the Missouri Association of Teachers of English April 6 in Jefferson City.

While in Jefferson City, she also attended several sessions of the Delta Kappa Gamma state convention, giving a talk at one of the meetings. On April 12-14 Miss Headlee was in St Louis as a delegate to the state convention of the American Association of University Women. She is the incoming president of the local branch.

Merrill Ellis attended the University of Wichita's performance of one of his compositions, "General William Booth Enters Into Heaven," on April 12. He also attended the Symposium of Contemporary American Music on March 29-31 at the University of Texas in Austin.

Views of Puerto Rico

By Joel Magruder, P.R. Correspondent for The Chart

April 20, 1957—One needs be on this small island only a short while to feel the tremendous energy that is shaping a new society here in the Caribbean.

When the writer arrived in San Juan, Puerto Rico, some months ago, he was immediately impressed by the abundance of natural beauty that arrays the shores, plains, and mountains of this 3,000-square-mile spot of land. Day after day, the brilliance of the skies, the variety of cloud formations, the rich hues of the mountain slopes, and the profound blue-greens of the surrounding seas never diminish. Nay, they rather grow in beauty and meaning as one begins to sense the external rhythm of the nature that governs them.

But moving as is the natural beauty of the island, yet more so is the beauty of the whole people working in harmony and with dedication to uplift the material majestic upward sweep of the green mountains. More worthy of admiration is the great record of achievements here, made by the Puerto Ricans themselves, in scarcely more than the decade past.

From the "slum of the Caribbean," as Puerto Rico was known not so long ago, has been formed a nation that teaches in co-operative endeavor, in public health and housing, in agriculture, and in industrial development to hundreds of students from every corner of the world. From an impoverished island with a largely agricultural economic basis has been forged a modern, progressive country with an ever-widening industrial expansion.

The citizens of Puerto Rico, once hopelessly the sufferers of grinding poverty and political subjection, now boast of great advancement in the economic standards of

Senior Citizens Visit College On Appreciation Day

Thirty-two outstanding senior citizens representing 16 Southwest Missouri high schools, visited the College April 25, as part of the fourth annual "Citizenship Appreciation Day," sponsored by the Joplin Chamber of Commerce.

The seniors, who were chosen by members of their senior classes, registered at the College and were welcomed by Dean Maurice Litton. Then they toured the campus.

After leaving here, they were taken through the First National Bank and the Joplin Globe and News Herald Publishing Company.

Luncheon for the guests was served at noon at the Connor Hotel, after which they were guests of the Fox Theater.

James Stratton, commercial instructor, and chairman of the Goodwill Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, and the "Appreciation Committee," was in charge of arrangements for the tour.

living, and have one of the most conscientious and active democracies of the world. As yet they face many serious problems — overpopulation, unemployment, clashing cultural values — with exemplary vigor, courage, and understanding. Illiteracy, the breeding-ground of discords and intellectual stagnation, has been dealt a death-blow, having been reduced to only 20 percent.

Malaria, that dread scourge of the tropics, has been virtually wiped out by effective public health campaigns. Housing projects — colorful, airy, and adequate — have brought thousands out of filthy, disease-ridden slums. Transportation has been greatly facilitated by an unusually broad program of highway construction (Puerto Rico has more miles of paved roads than any other country of its size). And the ultra-modern airport is evocative of expressions of admiration from nearly every traveler fortunate enough to see it.

Yes, the eyes of the world, already turned in the direction of this small, green island, will look with ever-increasing satisfaction and encouragement as Puerto Rico continues to build herself into an example of social progress for all nations.

(Joel attended Joplin Junior College last year.)

Jean Johnson With Chemical Firm

Jean Johnson, of the class of 1955, has a position with a chemical concern in Beloit, Wisconsin that combines her chemical and journalistic abilities. Jean won the outstanding chemistry award her freshman year and was a 1954-55 Chart editor.

Phi Theta Kappa Hosts Virginians En Route to National Convention

Hall and provided lodging for the night.

One of the Virginians remarked, "I've fallen in love with Missouri — I think it's because of the fat cows and hogs."

Joplin Junior College students who attended the national meeting left April 18. They were Mary Ella Filewood, official delegate, and Billie Krummel and Carl Moellinger, unofficial delegates. Miss Eula Ratekin, sponsor, accompanied them.

The three-day meeting concluded with the annual Lawton Easter pageant.

At right, Miss Ratekin greets Williams, and below Jerry Cooper, local president, welcomes the national president.



Dramatics Devotees Plug Spring Play

A lot of Lions are eager beavers these days, particularly those in the dramatics department.

Last Wednesday the cast of "The Physician in Spite of Himself" appeared on KODE-TV. Wearing authentic costumes, the thespians staged a skit concerning Moliere and his company of actors preparing to present the play. Duane Hunt wrote the script and produced and directed it.

Public speaking students have not remained idle in the midst of all this activity. They have been appearing at junior high schools in Joplin in an attempt to draw a sizable crowd for the spring play. Cast members of "The Physician in Spite of Himself" enacted skits at Joplin High School.

Members of the play production class were given an opportunity to make practical application of their class work when they did the make-up for characters in "The Last Supper" at First Christian Church recently.

Duane Hunt and Fred Tullis supplied the entertainment for a recent meeting of the American War Dads.

Botany Classes Visit Joplin Sewage Plant

Members of James R. Maupin's botany classes toured the sewage disposal plant north of Joplin April 23 and listened to an explanation of the various processes involved in treatment of sewage.

The trip was taken in connection with the study of simple plant life. While at the plant, students viewed formations of green algae growing there.

Other field trips are planned for later this year.

Joplin Junior College Community Chorus Presents Handel's 'Messiah' in Observance of the Easter Season



[Courtesy of Joplin Globe]

Directed by Oliver Sovereign, the Joplin Junior College Community Chorus sang portions of Handel's "Messiah" Sunday afternoon, April 14, at the First Methodist Church.

Four of the soloists have studied at J.J.C. Maureen Vincent and Harriet Hatcher are attending now, and James Fleming and Merle Young are alumni.

Students participating follow: Suzanne Bogner, Pat Brown, Marjorie Campbell, Marilyn Croach, Mary Dagley, Alicia Hager, Maxine Henderson, Nancy Hopkins, Margaret Kenney, Jane Kirk, Janis Rickman, Marian Scott, Judy Tedder, Karen Williams, and Patricia Hager.

Shirley Byrd, Anna Jean Cummings, Rayma Hammer, Margaret

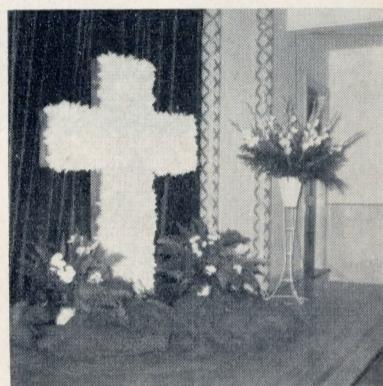
Haughawout, Sue Henson, Sue Holland, Sue Holt, Carla Hoskins, Trudie Hosp, Nancy Martin, Linda Miles, Sharon Morgan, Lauralou Schaper, Darlene Spillers, Kathryn Walker, and Barbara Whitehead.

James Cellner, Bill Easley, Gerald Harper, Joe Pendergraft, Joe Roche, and Larry Willcoxon.

Dee Connor, Howard Cooper,

Duane Cowan, Ted Fertig, Richard Giles, Stephen Hodson, Gerald Keller, Terry Moore, David Rorabards, Gary Smart, Bob Townsend, and Phil Bellairs.

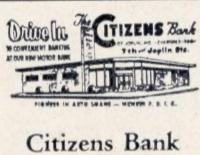
At right is a scene at the annual Easter assembly April 17 at which the Choir sang. The assembly was sponsored by the College Y.W.C.A. The Reverend Emerson Maple was the speaker.



1955 Graduate Wins Scholarship

Eleanor Damer has received a graduate fellowship of \$1,250 in the department of modern languages for the academic year of 1957-58 at Florida State University in Tallahassee.

Eleanor, who graduated from J.J.C. in 1955 with first honors, will receive her bachelor's degree from William Jewell College at Liberty May 27. She is a member of the national language fraternity, Phi Sigma Iota; the national social science fraternity, Pi Gamma Mu; the Psychology Club; and several musical organizations.



Citizens Bank

Home and Abroad

Charles Robert Hedrick who left J.J.C. in February of 1943 to go to the army is presently stationed at Bossier City, Louisiana. After completing his first tour of duty, he continued his studies at the University of Michigan. Upon graduation from the University, he decided to make the army his career.

Jefferson C. Davis is ready to take his exam for the Missouri Medical Board. He graduated from Juco in 1952.

Elmer E. Schessman, who attended the College the fall of 1940 and the year of 1945-1946, became a career man in the air force. He is now connected with the Meteorology Department of the air force in Germany.

Do You Want A Scholarship?

Three types of scholarships are being offered by Lindenwood College to qualified graduates of junior colleges, according to a recent news release from Miss Mary Bryant, Public Relations Director.

General scholarships of \$1,000, available to women, will be awarded for two years, with \$500 applied on the junior year and \$500 for the senior year.

Special scholarships, also for \$1,000, are for women students majoring in chemistry, mathematics, and biology. Awards will be made on the basis of competitive examinations. Applications for this type should be received by May 15.

Dramatic scholarships are available to male students of junior or senior standing. Awards are for one year and will be granted on a competitive basis to two qualified men. Applications should be received by June 1.

Lindenwood catalogs and application blanks may be obtained from the Director of Admissions at the college. The college is located near St. Charles.

Oddball

By Donna Sellers

The reason that I came to school
Some people can't discern;
I didn't come to catch a man,
I only came to learn.

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Luncheon Club Hears Talk by Miss Coffey

Miss Ada Coffey emphasized the importance of humanities courses in the education of young people at a Y.M.C.A. Luncheon Club meeting April 23.

Beginning with the Golden Age of the Greeks, the literature instructor illustrated the contributions writers of several ages have made to modern life. She said no better education is available than that which can be gained from association with good literature.

Also discussed at the meeting were plans for the Y.M.C.A. hayride.

Doris Ladd Passes Test

Doris Ladd has passed the 80-word shorthand test, according to Miss Vera Steininger, commercial instructor at the College.

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News of Students Then and Now

Jucoites Return During Vacation

Among the alumni who visited the College during Easter vacation were Jack Cox, Gene Gold, Ron Richardson, and Brent Kyte who are attending the University of Missouri; and Jane Medcalf from the University of Oklahoma.

Harold Zabsky who recently completed his master's degree at the University of Maryland and is teaching at Quincy College in Illinois, also was here during the vacation. Zabsky worked on The Chart while attending Junior College. He received his bachelor's degree from the University of California at Berkeley.

Other holiday visitors included Evalyn Grant, who is attending Northwestern University, and Jim LePage, who is at St. Louis University. Incidentally, Jim was on the first semester honor roll.

Here and There

Larry Pigg, who is attending Drury College, has been initiated into Omicron Delta Kappa national leadership honor society. He is a member of the Religious Life Council, Timothy Club, and Kappa Alpha fraternity. He also serves as chaplain for the student senate.

Mrs. Gene B. Reniker and sons, Roger and Gregory, have gone to Aschaffenburg, Germany, to join Lieutenant Gene B. Reniker in their new home.

First Lt. and Mrs. John F. Nolan announced the birth of a daughter, Deborah Ann, on February 15. Mrs. Nolan is the former Charlene Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gugler have a new daughter, Dianne Leslie, born April 19. They also have a two-year-old daughter, Jeannette.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison of Lucknow, India, announced the birth of a daughter Linda Dell, on February 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Priaulx have a son, Mark Taylor, born March 13.

Richard Davis, who was a navigator for a B-36 in the Naval Air Force, is employed in the electronics parts division of General Electric in Syracuse, New York. He is the brother of Bill Davis who works for Burgess Insurance Company. Both are former J.J.C. students.

William W. Wallace, Jr., a '52 graduate, is an electric typewriter salesman for IBM in Joplin.

Jim Brown is working in the accounting department of Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville, Oklahoma. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brown attended J.J.C. in 1954.

Four J.J.C. alumni have been employed by the board of education to teach in the Joplin school system next year. They are Patricia Forrest Miller, Carol Dean Dale, Patricia Ann Wimer Anderson, and Lila Lee Boyd.



Joan Moon Earns Air Hostess Wings

Joan Moon, former secretary to the Dean, has received the wings of a Trans World Airlines hostess and is flying skyline routes throughout the nation. Presently she is assigned to flight duty at Kansas City.

Joan, a graduate of Webb City High School and Joplin Junior College, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hobbs, 812 West First Street, Webb City.

Evelyn Jones Gets Degree in Education

Evelyn Jones, now teaching at Lowell Junior High School in Tulsa, received her master's degree in education at the University of Arkansas at the end of the first semester. Evelyn graduated from Joplin Junior College in 1952.

She was a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, national honorary music fraternity and appeared in "Cose Fan Tutti," the first full-length opera to be produced at the University. She also was active in literary circles.

At Juco Evelyn was active in Alpha Kappa Mu, a sorority that was similar to Beta Beta Beta; the Modern Language Club; the Y.W.C.A.; and Theta Mu Gamma.

Evelyn directs the chorus and teaches English. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jones of Pryor, Oklahoma, formerly of Joplin.

Engagements

Martha Tucker to Dr. James E. Stephens

Mary Woestman to Joseph Mathews

Judith Wallace to Ronald Tatnum

Jane Baldridge to David Wiswall

Shirley Williams to Cecil Petefish

Jacqueline McFarland to Carl Taylor

Wanda Gibb to David Spencer

Karen White to Karl Cotton

Rosemary Mense to Ralph Goerke

Nancy Sue Hulvey to Charles Wade

Jaycees Award 'Key Man' Prize To Former Student

Jack Jewsbury, Joplin florist and active Joplin Junior Chamber of Commerce member, has been named as winner of that organization's "Key Man" award for the past year.

The presentation was the highlight of a general membership meeting of Jaycees held recently. Jewsbury received a special gold key and a "Key Man" certificate from Bill Huddleston, Jaycee president. This award is given annually to the one member who is considered by a selection committee to have contributed the most to the success of the Joplin Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Jewsbury, a graduate of Joplin High School, attended Joplin Junior College in 1946-47. Following an arts and science curriculum, he was particularly interested in music.

An added note of interest is the fact that Mrs. Jewsbury, the former Jewell Ann Jorgenson, was a 1949 graduate of J.J.C.

1953 Chart Editor Ends Army Schooling

Private Henry W. Heckert, a 1953 graduate of J.J.C., has completed the Army Information School's public information course at Fort Slocum, New York. The former Chart editor entered the eight-week course to obtain training in news writing, press photography, and radio and television techniques.

Heckert, a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Heckert, 1030 Forest Street, Carthage, entered the Army in October of last year and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

He received a bachelor of arts degree from Kansas State Teachers College at Pittsburg in 1955.

Don Wright Becomes Army Radio Operator

Private Donald L. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wright, Sarcoxie, recently completed the intermediate speed radio operators' course at the Army Armor Training Center, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

The 12-week course trained Wright to receive and transmit code messages over various types of radio equipment and to service the equipment. He entered the Army in October 1956 and received basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

The 19-year-old soldier attended Joplin Junior College last year.

Marriages

Mary Lou Harris and Dale Harbaugh

Grace Huddleston and Jack Speakman

Carole Louise Purkett and Robert Miles Laird

Patricia Crews and Robert J. Kiddoo

Patricia Holland and Kenneth Brandon

Kathryn Walker Will Present Sophomore Recital on May 12

The Triple Trio Will Assist With Larry Willcoxon Accompanying

A person who has been in the background in many school events in this and other years will step into the spotlight soon. She is Kathryn Walker, 19-year-old sophomore, who will appear in a piano recital at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 12, in the College auditorium.

Assisting Kathryn in her recital will be the Triple Trio, accompanied by Larry Willcoxon.

A veteran of 12 years at the keyboards, Kathryn has been accompanist for music groups in virtually every organization with which she has been associated. Beginning in the seventh grade as pianist for her junior high school choir, she has accompanied the St. Cecilia and Senior Choirs at Joplin High School and the Joplin Junior College Choir. For the past five years she has been a private accompanist for Oliver Sovereign. She has taught piano lessons for three years.

The brown-haired pianist was accompanist at J.J.C. recitals given by Maureen Vincent and Mrs. Lorraine Riley. Most of Joplin's civic organizations have heard Kathryn in solo, ensemble, or accompanist roles.

Plays for Convention

But her appearances have not been limited to civic clubs. She and Jane Barlow, a flutist, played for the Missouri Music Teachers Association convention in November, 1956, at which time Kathryn and two members of the Washington University music faculty were featured on a television show.

The coed's music ability is not limited to the piano, however.

She is also an accomplished cellist and organist, and has had a year's training in voice. She sings in the Joplin Junior College Community Chorus.

She has been a cellist in the Joplin Civic Symphony the past two seasons and was an organist at Royal Heights Methodist Church for three years.

Unlike some musicians, she is a participant in many outdoor sports and activities. She likes modern dance, tennis, and swimming. For the last two years she has taught swimming for the Red Cross and the Girl Scouts. She holds a senior life saving certificate.

Active in Diverse Fields

At various times she has been president, treasurer, and program chairman for the Methodist Youth Fellowship. Kathryn is treasurer of Phi Theta Kappa and a member of the assembly committee. During her freshman year, she was parliamentarian of her class and a member of Theta Mu Gamma.

Kathryn, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon C. Walker, 2531 Salem Street, is not the first member of her family to attend Juco. Her brother, Ramon, graduated from the College several years ago.

When asked her plans for the future, Kathryn promptly displays a small fraternity pin, indicating her engagement to Richard Huelster, an engineering physics student at Washington University. She plans to get a bachelor of arts degree with a major in music and then complete work for a master's degree in musicology. When she has completed her studies, she hopes to return to school to teach college level music.



Miami Netters Defeat Lions

The Northeastern Oklahoma A. and M. tennis team scored a clean sweep of the girls' matches and shaded the Joplin Junior College Lions, 5-4, April 9, on the Schifferdecker park courts.

Joplin, coached by Buddy Ball, copped three of the four boys' singles matches and split the boys' doubles matches with Northeastern, but the Miami netters walked away with the three girls' matches for the victory.

Results of the matches were as follows:

Boys' Singles

Dick Humphreys, Joplin, defeated Jim Jordan, Miami, (6-1) (7-5).

Bill Johnson, Joplin, defeated Mike Pickett, Miami, (6-2) (6-3).

Luis Cruz, Miami, defeated David Garrison, Joplin, (1-6) (6-4) (6-3).

Boys' Doubles

Jordan and Pickett, Miami, defeated Johnson, and Bill Weinreis, Joplin, (8-6) (6-3).

Dick Weill and Wallace, Joplin, defeated Routledge and Cruz, Miami, (6-8) (8-6) (6-3).

Girls' Singles

Carol Hatfield, Miami, defeated



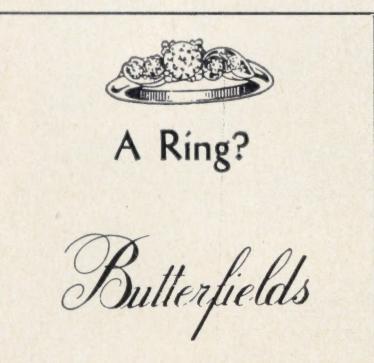
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